Addendum for ARPA Funding

Idaho Launch

Eligibility

- Impacted personally by COVID-19 in accordance with US Treasury guidance.
- Industry was impacted by COVID-19 in accordance with US Treasury guidance.
- Out of state residents that are employed by Idaho employers.

Training Options

- Aligned to occupations that have a minimum of 150 openings per year and/or are aligned to the May 2022 Launch Survey.
- May include "for-credit" options that integrate a credential, do not exceed 2 years, and are approved by the Policy Committee.
- Additional priority occupations that are a focus of Council or Governor-led initiatives, as approved by the Policy Committee. (in-home health care, behavioral health, etc.)

Award Amount

• Cover 90% of cost, up to \$7,500, for all participants, whether using ARPA or WDTF funds. If the training costs over \$8,250, the program will pay the full \$7,500.

Additional Guidance

These funds may be combined with scholarships or other forms of financial assistance.
Generally, if the participant is ARPA eligible, Launch funds will need to be paid out in accordance with Treasury timelines. If the participant is funded through the WDTF, the Launch funds should be leveraged to fill gaps that other funds cannot.

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